

PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.136

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir.

Applicant, by his attorney, petitions for an extension of time to file the response within the first month. Enclosed is the processing fee of \$60.00.

Respectfully submitted,

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